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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce H. C. LOF-
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subject to the decision of the people at the election
in November next.

THE DAILY BULLETIN.

Only Morning Daily in Southern Illinois.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY AND COUNTY.

LOCAL REPORT.

Time. Bar. Ther. Hum. Wind. Vol. Weather.
6:46 a.m. 29.94 76 91 E 6 Fair.
11:11 " 29.85 85 72 E 4 Li Rain.
2 p.m. 29.91 76 86 Calm 0 Cloudy.
3:46 " 29.92 76 86 Calm 0 Cloudy.

Maximum Thermometer, 85°; Minimum Ther-
mometer, 74°; Rainfall, 0.35 inch.
JAMES M. WATSON,
Serg't Signal Service, U. S. A.

GRIST'S Summer Underwear at prices to
close. See the Gossamer undershirt at 25c.
Nainsook undershirts reduced from 75 and
\$1 to 50 and 75c.

STUART, Eighth street.

WANTED—A Cook. Apply to Mrs. W.
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HANDSOMEST line of Crepe Lisse and
Tartan collarettes ever shown in this city,
and at the lowest prices. Stuart's exclusively
cash dry goods house, Eighth street.

LOST—\$10 REWARD—Lost on the Levee,
about noon of Monday 1st inst., a small
roll of bills containing about \$45. The
finder will receive the above reward and the
thanks of the loser, by returning same to
office St. Charles Hotel, Cairo.

WINTER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.
Strangers in the city, or those intending to
visit Cairo, are invited to visit Winter's
photographic parlors, on Sixth street, be-
tween Commercial and Washington ave-
nues, and examine specimens of his work on
exhibition there.

THE Woman's Christian Temperance
Union desire to hold a union meeting at
the Temperance Reform hall, To-day July
2, at 4 o'clock. Ladies and gentlemen
interested in the cause of Temperance are
earnestly requested to attend. Mrs. S. D.
Ayers will lead the devotional exercise.
MOLLIE E. WEBB, Sec'y.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

—Mr. J. S. Aistrophe is reported ill.
—Miss Ella Robbins left for Centralia
yesterday morning.

—Mr. John H. Oberly left on the noon
train yesterday for Springfield.

—Miss Lizzie Wood, daughter of Col.
John Wood, leaves for Chicago this after-
noon.

—Miss Jennie Docker, of Shawneetown,
is in the city, the guest of Miss Lizzie Mc-
Kenig.

—Mr. W. B. Gilbert and family have for
Shelbyville this afternoon. Mr. Gilbert
will be absent a couple of weeks.

—Judge Wm. L. Green left for Hannibal,
Ky., yesterday afternoon. He will return
to-day.

—Mr. Tom Lansden, of St. Louis, is in
the city, visiting his brother, Mr. J. M.
Lansden.

—A row occurred on Commercial avenue
Saturday night, during which a man was
stabbed in the neck, the jugular vein being
hardly missed. Arrests were made, but
the trial, so far as we could learn, did not
come off yesterday. The quarrel had its
origin in an old feud.

—Mr. Sam Chapman, son of Mr. Frank
Chapman, Mr. Brownlee, his son-in-law,
and Mr. John Bridges, his nephew, accom-
panied the remains of the murdered man
from Forman to this city, and from here to
Cairdendale. The party arrived over the
Ohio and Vincennes road, and left via the
Illinois Central.

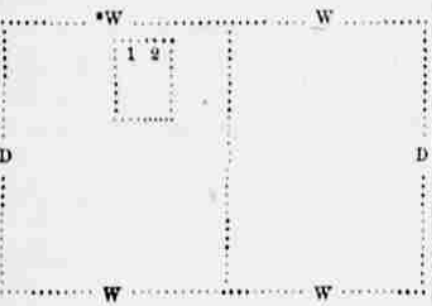
—Assessor Alden's complete returns:
County farm lands \$448,707; Cairo town
lots, \$1,498,809; country town lots, \$14,
672; total real estate in county, \$1,932,188.
Personal property—county, \$150,899; city,
\$482,814; total personal in county, \$633,
713. Total real and personal in the county,
\$2,565,901. Want of space forbids the
publication of a detailed list of personal
property taxed. It will appear in to-mor-
row's BULLETIN.

THE ASSASSIN'S WORK.

FRANK J. CHAPMAN FOULLY MUR-
DERED AT FORMAN.

SHOT AND KILLED WHILE ASLEEP IN BED
BY PARTIES AT PRESENT UNKNOWN—RE-
VENGE OR FEAR BELIEVED TO BE THE
MOTIVE INSPIRING THE DEED—RUMORS,
ETC.

Forman, in Johnson county, was the
scene, Sunday morning, of an assassination
that has few equals in the annals of crime
in Southern Illinois. At present mystery
surrounds it; but circumstances are coming
to light that will certainly dispel the dark-
ness in which it is enshrouded and reveal
a state of things that will amaze the
most credulous. At about 1 o'clock
on Sunday morning, Frank J. Chapman was
sent into eternity by a bullet fired from a
pistol in the hands of a person at present
unknown. To give, if possible, an idea of
the house in which the murder was com-
mitted, the attention of the reader is directed
to this diagram:



D—Doors.
W—Windows.
*W—Window of Chapman's room.
1—Chapman's position in the bed.
2—Martin's position in the bed.

This house is a common wood structure,
box shaped, located on the southeast base of
the hill on which the town of Forman is built,
and about sixty yards from what is known
as the old mill. It stands out alone on the
ground, and is without the protection of a
fence. In the house are two rooms, sepa-
rated by a common board partition. The
room indicated in the diagram as contain-
ing a bed, was occupied by a Norwegian
named Martin, in the employ of Chapman,
and Chapman himself. The other room
was occupied by Mr. S. P. Jackson and his
wife. The window sills of the house would
reach to the chest of an average-sized man
standing flat footed on the ground surround-
ing the house. On Saturday evening after
dark both Martin and Chapman were in
their room. About ten o'clock Martin
went to bed, leaving Chapman sitting in a
chair reading a newspaper. About eleven
o'clock Chapman laid aside his newspaper
and left the room. Martin thinks he was
gone not over three quarters of an hour.
When Chapman returned, he too went to
bed, and as was his custom, left the lamp
dimly burning. Martin knows nothing
more until he was aroused by the sound of
the pistol shot. He found the room in utter
darkness, got out of bed, struck a match,
lit the lamp, and found Chapman lying
motionless and unconscious, the brain
oozing from his head. The ball—38 cal-
ibre—entered the brain at a
point on the top of the head above the
right ear, and ranging downward lodged in
the region of the right nostril. It was cut
out by Dr. Geo. W. Bratton, of Vienna
Mr. Chapman lived until 4 o'clock, but in
those three hours showed no sign of life.
The shot had paralyzed him. Martin
ran to the store, about sixty yards off,
and waked Messrs. Morris and Boren—
the latter Chapman's nephew—informing
them of what had occurred. They, of
course hastened to the spot, and found Mr.
Chapman in the condition described. An
examination of the premises revealed the
fact that the party who had done the
shooting was short in stature, as a block
about a foot in length, was found under
the window sill of Chapman's room; this
block enabled the assassin to reach across
the window, pull aside the curtain and
shoot at the victim. The block was made
of flesh was not burned by the shot, and
the window sill showed no signs of being
scorched. Martin's bed was found to be
put out by the assassin, and it was
the shot; but others assert that this could
hardly have happened, as the table on
which the lamp was burning, was two or
three feet from the bed, and not in the di-
rection of the shot. Whatever tracks had
been made in approaching and departing
from the house were obliterated by the
rain which subsequently fell. Jackson and
his wife did not hear the shot. These em-
brace all the circumstances of the killing
itself.

When it became noised abroad, the great-
est excitement prevailed, and continued
from Sunday morning up to last night at
eight o'clock. A coroner's jury was sum-
moned and a very large number of wit-
nesses examined, but nothing was elicited
that would furnish a tangible clue to the
perpetrator of the dastardly act. Mr.
Chapman was about 45 years of age, did
business in Vienna, Cairdendale and other
points in Southern Illinois, but at the time
of his death was devoting his attention
mainly to the interests of the Chapman
Lumber Mill Company, of which he was
President. He was also senior member of

the firm of Chapman & Hess—well-known
in Southern Illinois for upward of twenty
years. His family consists of his wife and
six children. Four of the 'ter are grown.
Opinions differ largely as to his personal
character. He was of the kind of men
who make warm friends and bitter enemies;
but as to his capacity for business and his
enterprise in conducting it, there is but one
opinion—he had very few superiors.

Now as to rumors in circulation. The
one which has gained the most credence,
and which has an air of probability is this:
We give it as it is current in Vienna and
Forman. It is said that a relative of Chap-
man has been on intimate terms with a girl
residing in Forman; that this intimacy has
extended over a period of about three years;
that Chapman had frequently expressed
his displeasure at it; that on last Saturday he told his relative
that he must either quit the girl or quit the
business in which he is engaged as partner.
It is said, of Chapman's; that the nephew,
so the story goes, told the girl of this at an
interview they had about eleven o'clock
Saturday night; that she has had access to
the relative's apartments. This, be it re-
membered, is but street talk up there. Here
is what gives importance to it. This girl's
father is a doctor, who was unauthorized to
practice medicine in this State. Chapman,
supposing that by getting rid of the father,
he would rid the town of the girl, too, had
him prohibited from practicing medicine,
and he left there a few days ago. The
pistol of the relative is missing; the
last he saw of it was under the
pillow of his bed, at four o'clock Saturday
afternoon. That pistol carried a 38-calibre
ball—the same as that cut from the face of
Chapman. The pistol can be found
nowhere. The person who did the shoot-
ing must be familiar with the premises,
and was short in stature. Of course strong
inferences are drawn from this, but no
action has yet been taken by the authorities
looking to the arrest of any one. We
might fill THE BULLETIN with other rum-
ors, but give only this one, as bearing the
the outward sign of having something in it.
Johnson county is on the eve of giving to
the country some extraordinary disclosures.

No impurities of the blood, no matter
how long in the system, can resist the heal-
ing influences of Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture.

Go to Stuart's popular and exclusively
cash dry goods house if you would save
money. No losses from book accounts or
old stock. Cash transactions and quick
sales insure the very lowest prices. Sum-
mer Dress Goods, Parasols, etc., at prices
to close. A visit of inspection is solicited.
STUART, Eighth street.

WASHINGTON.

WHAT IS THOUGHT OF DENNIS' TESTIMONY—
THE FITZ-JOHN PORTER CASE, ETC.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—That was im-
portant evidence which L. J. Dennis gave
before the Potter committee yesterday.
He was, as is well known, an officer whose
position made him cognizant of all that
was done in the celebrated Archer precinct
in Florida. He swore that 219 votes were
added to the number thrown for the Re-
publican candidate, and that the work was
done in his house and in his presence by
two of the Republican election officers.
These 219 votes were added because, as he
and the others believed, the full number of
Republican votes thrown did not appear in
the boxes when the count was made after
election. Yet the officers in charge of the
polls were Republicans. These 219 votes, to
the adding of which there can be no re-
tice in law or morals saved the State to Hayes.
It is a natural sequence to this story that
Dennis and the two officers who made the
addition were immediately appointed to office.

Dennis says that when the Visiting States-
men were in Florida and seeking to have
the Archer precinct counted with the 219
Republican votes in, Governor Minister
of the State, and that he
told Hayes at a
public meeting to
swear to the
votes.

Fitz-John Porter, having his case annul-
led by arbitrary officers detailed for the
purpose, I have no objection to this.
He may have been wrongfully
convicted originally. His trial was
held certainly at a time when popular feel-
ing was very strong against him in the
north, and this may have influenced the
court. But if Porter, and Hammond, and
Runkle and others are to be the subject
of executive clemency or of congressional re-
lief, let us have some plan by which hum-
bler men, may seek to have removed from
their army record stains which are
more likely to be undeserved than those in
any of the cases named above. Let con-
gress authorize the appointment of a board
partly of army officers and partly of civil-
ians, or wholly of civilians who were volun-
teer officers, which shall sit in Washington
and shall re-examine the evidence in any
case of a volunteer officer or soldier who was
convicted and punished during the war
and shall now request such re-examination.
The board should also have power to pass
upon evidence improperly excluded at the
trial. There are thousands of cases in which the technicalities which

govern a court martial once swept away,
would be found to have been decided
against the evidence, or so arbitrarily passed
upon that the accused was unable to defend
himself. If thought necessary, the board
might simply make a recommendation in his
case, and congress might thereafter, if it
saw fit, grant the relief asked for.

The three hundred members of the
house, at the last session, received or were
to receive 410 tons of printed matter from
the government, or about 2,700 pounds
each. By law this goes through the mails
free of postage. The books going to make
up this amount are the agricultural report,
of which each member has 700 messages
of the president and accompanying docu-
ments, of which 80 are given. Of the re-
ports of cabinet officers 6 copies are fur-
nished, and of the Congressional Record 24
are supplied daily, of the revised statutes
11 copies, and of the constitution and char-
ter 20 copies.

SMOKERS. If you wish a fine "Key West"
or "Imported" cigar, call at Kornsmeier's
cigar store. It is the only place in the city
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Beecher, grows in popularity with its pat-
rons. And so it should, for Mr. B.
prides himself on the quality of
his liquors, wines and cigars. He dis-
penses none but the best of these articles.
Meals are also provided at the house at all
hours. The public are invited to give him
a call.

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVED.

James Fisk, Paducah.
A. C. Donnelly, Cincinnati.
Jas. W. Gaff, Memphis.
James Gilmore and barges, St. Louis.
City of Helena, Vicksburg.
Arkansas Belle, Evansville.
Gold Dust, St. Louis.
City of Vicksburg, St. Louis.
Greyhound and barges, Memphis.
Jno. Porter and barges, Cincinnati.
Jno. N. McComb, Arkansas River.
Evergreen, Vicksburg.

DEPARTED.

James Fisk, Paducah.
A. C. Donnelly, New Orleans.
Jas. W. Gaff, Cincinnati.
Jas. Gilmore, St. Louis.
City of Helena, St. Louis.
Arkansas Belle, Evansville.
Gold Dust, New Orleans.
Greyhound and barges, Ohio River.
Jno. N. McComb, Mound City.
Evergreen, Paducah.

THE RIVERS.

The rain yesterday afternoon was very
heavy, but did not last long. Previous to
the shower the weather was extremely hot.
Business dull.

The A. C. Donnelly got 150 tons here, and
needed several hundred tons to fill out.
She has 35 hogsheds tobacco and some
other freight engaged below.

The Jas. W. Gaff had a fair trip of freight
and cabin full of people for Cincinnati.
The Gilmore added some empty barges
here and went home.

The City of Helena had 3,500 sacks of
wheat for St. Louis.

The Arkansas Belle was light.

The Gold Dust made additions here but
left for New Orleans about two-thirds
loaded.

The Greyhound has a tow of empty
barges for the Ohio.

The John Porter has a big tow, part of
which she takes to St. Louis and part to
New Orleans.

The snagboat John N. Newcomb passed
to Mound City to lay up
until another appropriation shall
have been made by congress. Some
steamboat men question the propriety of
sending the snagboats out to work up ap-
propriations during high water, and laying
them up when the river approaches that
stage when they are most needed and
could do the most good. They hold that it
does not necessarily follow that
because the appropriation becomes avail-
able when the river is at flood height that it
must be used up then, and they think that
some practical steamboat men was put
in charge of the matter he could get much
more service out of the boats at less
cost to the government.

The Gold Dust is in New Orleans and
Cons. Miller is in Memphis.

We are now in the hands of the
Snake Eagle, a small tug under the
weather yard of the Illinois attack.

The J. M. Watson, Paducah receiving
the finishing touches. She is expected to
be the fastest boat afloat.

The City of Vicksburg was very well laden
for Vicksburg.

The Evergreen is hunting a trade. She
has been running in short trades near
Vicksburg, but desires a cooler climate.

The Speckled Trout is still in port.

LIVER IS KING.—The liver is the imperial
organ of the whole human system, as it con-
trols the life, health and happiness of man.
When it is disturbed in its proper action,
all kinds of ailments are the natural result.
The digestion of food, the movements of the
heart and blood, the action of the brain and
nervous system are all immediately connect-
ed with the workings of the liver. It has
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gust Flower is unequalled in curing all per-
son's afflicted with dyspepsia or liver com-
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